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In re Appln. of: Roy K. Greenberg et al.

Appln. No.: 10/756,803

Filed: January 13, 2004

For: Branched Vessel Endoluminal Device

Attorney Docket No: 8627-384

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Art Unit: 3731

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Attached is/are:

- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (in duplicate); PTO-1449; copies of references B1-B4
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
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Total		Minus			x \$9=			x \$18=	
Indep.		Minus			x 43=			x \$86=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$145=			+\$290=	
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- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
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- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Samuel E. Shehadeh (Reg. No. 52,215)


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### SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The references now cited are the following:

<b>No.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Country</b>
WO 99/48441 A	09/1999	WIPO
WO 95/16406 A	06/1995	WIPO
WO 95/21592 A	08/1995	WIPO
WO 99/13808 A	03/1999	WIPO

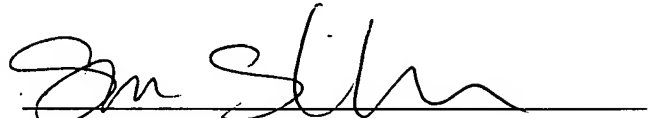
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these material, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(e)(1) and 1.704(d), Applicants hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and that this communication was not received by any individual designated in § 1.56(c) more than thirty days prior to the filing of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Sam Shehadeh', is written over a horizontal line.

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**LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR  
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**REFERENCE DESIGNATION****U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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	B1	WO 95/16406 A	06/1995	WIPO	
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	B3	WO 99/13808 A	03/1999	WIPO	
	B4	WO 99/48441 A	09/1999	WIPO	

EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

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